

THRILLING RESCUE

Crew of the Sinking Schooner Kipling Saved.

SHIP IS BADLY CRIPPLED

Lifeboat Sent by Steamer Maine Takes Off Sailors—Wave Crushes Shell Against Bowsprit—Second Attempt Successful, and Crew is Transferred.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—An account of a strange and thrilling rescue of seven seamen from the shipwrecked schooner Kipling was brought here today by the steamer Maine, from London. The steamer found the Kipling on January 11 near the British coast sinking from the effects of the ponding of huge waves. The ship's seams were sprung and leaking, part of her spars and deck fixtures had been snapped off and big seas were washing over her decks when the Maine sent a boat to take off the Kipling's crew. This boat was manned by an officer and three sailors. It stood alongside the schooner, sometimes rising to the level of the decks and sometimes dropping far below them with the roll of the waves.

Every man on the Kipling had safe-jumped into the bobbing boat and the oars had been dipped to row away, when the steamer swung around so that her bowsprit was directly over the lifeboat. Simultaneously a sea rose beneath the boat, carrying it up and crushing it against the bowsprit, which struck it directly across the midship section. In the midst of snapping oars and flying splinters the seven seamen from the Kipling leaped up to the bowsprit, throwing their arms around available supports and with their feet trying to kick the lifeboat free from its perilous position. This they did, but the lifeboat swept clear of the schooner, leaving them clinging to the bowsprit.

In the bottom of the boat one rescuer lay unconscious, having been struck on

the head during the collision. The boat itself was so badly damaged that it was in danger of sinking. It was rowed back to the Maine, while the crew of the Kipling clambered back to the deck of their vessel again. The Maine, however, sent a second lifeboat to the schooner, and this time the shipwrecked men were safely taken aboard the steamer.

The Kipling had been crippled for 20 days before sighting the Maine. She was bound for America.

TO ISSUE MORE STOCK.

D. & H. R. E. Will Increase Their Capital Stock by \$7,000,000.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A special meeting of the stockholders of the Delaware & Hudson River Company will be held in this city on February 19th for the purpose of considering and acting on the question of increasing the capital stock of the company by \$7,000,000. It is proposed to issue the new stock in exchange for a proposed issue of four per cent ten-year debentures of the company amounting to \$14,000,000 on the basis of five shares of stock for each debenture after \$1000 within five years of the date of the debenture.

It is understood that part of the proceeds of these issues will be used in paying for trolley properties at Albany, Troy and Cohoes recently purchased by the Delaware and Hudson Company.

DEAD FROM GAS.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Jan. 20.—Town Clerk William S. Shrieber, 40 years old, was found dead last night in a room filled with gas at the Union Hotel. He had been missing since Wednesday night. Shrieber figured in the ballot-box stuffing investigation now being conducted.

A Jamaican Lady Speaks Highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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